

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Nagai et al.  
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Title: **POSITION DETECTION APPARATUS,  
POSITION DETECTION METHOD AND  
POSITION DETECTION PROGRAM**

**AMENDMENT E**

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Commissioner For Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 16, 2006, and further with the accompanying Request for Continued Examination, please amend the above identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks and Discussion** begins on page 11 of this paper.